

Attorney Docket No. MCA-589A US Amendment Dated: January 19, 2006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

S. Proulx, et al.

Application Number:

10/500,077

Group Art Unit: 3763

Filed:

June 23, 2004

Examiner: Laura A. Bouchelle

Title:

Disposable, Sterile Fluid Transfer Device

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. In lieu of filing a Notice of Appeal in reply to the Office Action made final, Applicant's Attorney is filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

- □ No additional fees under 37 C.F.R. Rule 1.16 are required.
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